

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Reissue Application	)	
of U. S. Patent No. 6,342,590	)	
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Applicants: Shigeo Morimoto et al.	)	Group Art Unit:
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Granted: January 29, 2002	)	
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Reissue Serial Number:	)	
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For: Erythromycin A Derivatives and	)	TBA
Method for Preparing Same	)	


**CLAIM FOR FOREIGN PRIORITY**

Mailstop Reissue  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority under 35 U.S.C., Section 119 on the basis of Japanese Application No. JP 2-220315 dated 18 September, 1986, for the above identified reissue application. A certified copy of the above-identified Japanese application to support the claim of foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. section 119 in connection with the above identified reissue application was submitted during prosecution of the original application in U.S. App. No. 07/094,888. It is not necessary for a certified copy of the priority application to be resubmitted herewith.

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